

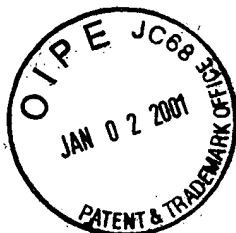


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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit ~~\$ 890~~ to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27). ~~\$ 710.00~~*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is ~~\$78~~ *\$80.00*
  - ~~\$78~~ *\$80.00* for 1 independent claims over 3.
- The oath of declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

- The balance due by applicant is ~~\$ 898.~~ *\$920.00*

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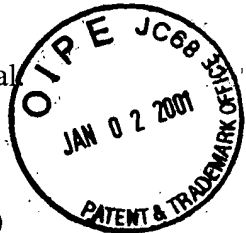
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE  
OF MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

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Sir:


In response to the Notice of Missing Parts of Application dated November 2, 2000,  
submitted herewith are the following documents for filing in the above-referenced application:

1. Declaration and Power of Attorney (which is in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63)
2. Statutory Basic filing fee of \$710.00
3. Late Filing Fee Surcharge of \$130.00
4. Assignment

Please charge Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$920.00. To the extent necessary, Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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